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SOLID-STATE IMAGE PICKUP APPARATUS WITH FAST PHOTOMETRY WITH PIXELS INCREASED, AND SIGNAL READING OUT METHOD THEREFOR

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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated May 7, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes Amendments to the Claims and Remarks.